

#thankateacher

As our school year moves into summer break, let us take time to reflect on the incredible learning that has happened with our young people and school communities. You, the educators to support this learning, deserve our utmost appreciation. For the week of May 7th - 11th, we formally recognize the amazing work done by our educators with "Teacher Appreciation Week." Check the twitter page for #thankateacher to see how people are celebrating the important guides and educators in their lives. Also, check these sites for additional ways to thank a teacher. Consider using a few of these to reach to one of your mentors and teachers.

- PTO: Teacher Appreciation Ideas for Everyday
- PTA: Celebrate Teacher Appreciation Week
- NEA: Teacher Day

Theatre Standards

The Wisconsin Standards for Theatre writing team is starting their work in May and will continue throughout the summer. Late in the summer, the team will be asking for public feedback to a draft of the standards. A link requesting feedback will be online at <https://dpi.wi.gov/fine-arts/theatre> in late summer and shared with the WI DPI Fine Arts listserv. To be included in the listserv, please contact julie.palkowski@dpi.wi.gov.

Arts Standards

The cycle of all content reviews, including theatre, dance, and art and design, is shared online. The 2017 Wisconsin Standards for Music and a video are online for use.

WI Teachers of the Year Share Stories

Each year Wisconsin selects four teachers of the year (TOY) annually to represent our school communities. Listen to the 2018 Wisconsin Teachers of the Year online and check the sample of video interviews by past TOY members. I hope these provide you with inspiration and encouragement in your work as an educator. Thank you for all you do to build our students up through the arts.



Anne Hasse 2013-2014



Chris Gleason 2016-2017



Richard Erickson 2013-2014



Jane McMahon 2013-2014



Michael Brinen 2010- 2011



Profile of a Wisconsin Teacher

WI DPI ARTS RESOURCES

Click on the links. Additional resources will be added in future issues.



WI DPI Arts Websites



Arts Professional Development



WI DPI Arts Social Media Networks



Wisconsin's Model Academic Standards



SLO Arts Sharing Site



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